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The following is filed with a request for continued examination in timely response to the final Office Action mailed on December 13, 2007, wherein the Examiner:

-- Rejected Claims 9-11 under Section 102(b) as being anticipated by Japanese Patent App. Pub. No. 2002-126985, or in the alternative, under Section 103(a) as obvious over Japanese Patent App. Pub. No. 2002-126985.

The following amendments and remarks are submitted in response.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.